Route des Princes d'Orange by bike

Rosans - Rosans

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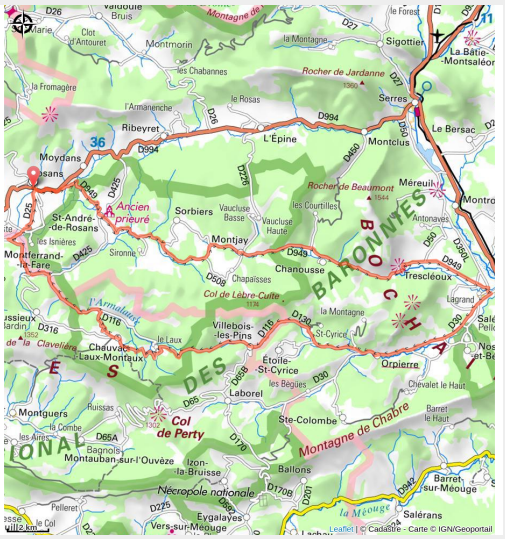


Partly following the Route des Princes d'Orange, which connects the town of Orange (Vaucluse) to the village of Orpierre, this varied route winds through the Céans Valley. A stop at the medieval village of Orpierre, also known for its rock-climbing site, is a must.

Useful information

Practice : Cycling

Duration : 4 h

Length : 68.1 km

Trek ascent : 1207 m

Difficulty : Medium

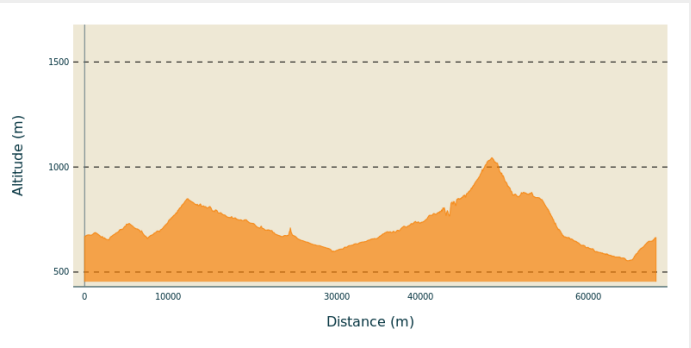
Type : Loop

Themes : Geology, History and architecture

Trek

Departure : Main place in Rosans
Arrival : Main place in Rosans
Markings : Cyclo
Cities : 1. Rosans
2. Moydans
3. Saint-André-de-Rosans
4. Sorbiers
5. Montjay
6. Chanousse
7. Trescléoux
8. Garde-Colombe
9. Orpierre
10. Étoile-Saint-Cyrice
11. Villebois-les-Pins
12. Chauvac-Laux-Montaux
13. Roussieux
14. Montferrand-la-Fare

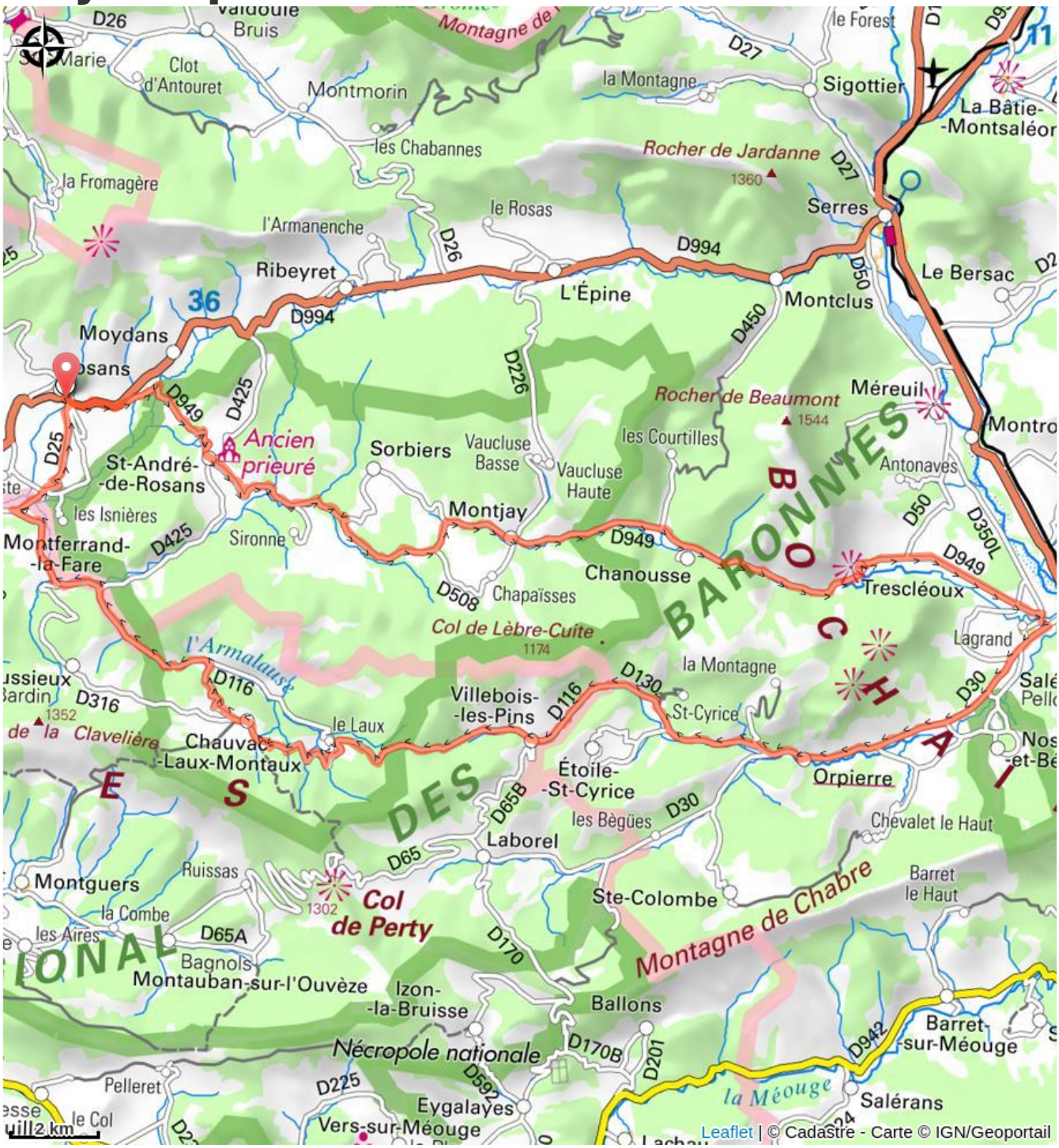
Altimetric profile



Min elevation 554 m Max elevation 1044 m

1. From Rosans, take the D 994 to Saint André de Rosans (a 12th-century Cluniac priory).
2. Cross the Col de la Flachière (870 m), continue on to Montjay, then pass through the village of Trescléoux.
3. When you reach the foot of the hilltop village of Lagrand, turn right toward Orpierre, a charming medieval village nestled at the foot of cliffs known to climbers worldwide. At the village exit, turn right onto the D 130 to Villebois-les-Pins.
4. Pass the Col du Reychasset (1,052 m – underground glacier), then head toward Chauvac and continue on the D 316 to Chauvac, then Montferrand-la-Fare to reach Rosans via the D 25.

On your path...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All useful information

Advices

The Sisteronais Buëch region has been designated an “Espace Cyclosport” by the French Cycling Federation and meets quality standards for accommodating road cyclists.

How to come ?

Transports

Let’s limit our trips and use public transportation and carpooling: https://zou.maregionsud.fr

Access

From Serres (24 km), take the D 994 to Rosans. Turn right in the village center onto the D 25.

Advised parking

Parking lot in the village centre near the tourist office in Rosans.

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